Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 6, with the following rewritten paragraph:

B1 -- Fig. 2 shows a schematic diagram of member 50 in conjunction with an apparatus 20 comprising a ventilator for a patient. Ventilator 20 includes electronic control circuitry 70 that operates ventilator pneumatic circuitry 72. Pneumatic circuitry 72 comprises a source of pressurized gas that provides breathing gases in inspiratory limb 74 of a patient breathing circuit 76. Pneumatic circuitry 72 may provide breathing gases directly to the lungs of the patient, as in a typical critical care application. Or, a driving gas provided by pneumatic circuitry 72 may compress a bellows containing the breathing gases which, in turn, supplies the gases to the patient, as in a typical anesthesia application. The breathing gases pass through Y-connector 78 to patient limb 80 for supply to the patient. The breathing gases are returned to ventilator 20 in expiratory limb 82. In the embodiment shown in Fig. ~~4~~ 2, pressure sensor 84 provides an airway pressure P_{aw} signal in conductor 86 to ventilator control electronic circuitry ~~52~~ 70. The signal in conductor 86 is proportional to the pressure in patient limb 80 leading to the lungs of the patient. Ventilator control electronic circuitry 70 may include monitor 30 that provides a numeric or graphic display of patient airway pressure $P_{aw,}$ as well as other patient or apparatus parameters. The signal from airway pressure sensor 84 is also provided in conductor 88 of cable 56 to member 50. The signal in conductor 88 is supplied to tactile feedback generator 90 to operate trigger 54 in a manner to provide a tactile expression of the magnitude of the patient airway pressure P_{aw} to the fingers of the user engaging trigger 54.